



# Plastering

## Career Technical Training Area

### Construction Career Pathway

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**The Plastering career technical training program at Job Corps takes approximately 8 to 12 months to complete and requires training in the following subject areas:**

- Introduction to plastering
- Safety
- Measuring and applied math
- Introduction to industry tools
- Introduction to industry equipment and machines
- Protecting adjacent surfaces
- Installing lathing, drywall, and plaster bases
- Mixing base and finish materials
- Installation of base coats
- Plaster finish application
- Alternative construction methods
- Green awareness

### Credentials:

Students who complete a Job Corps Plastering training program are eligible to attain the following credentials:

- Construction Safety and Health OSHA 10-Hour Training
- Scaffolding Industry Association (SIA) Scaffold User
- 3M Respirator Fit Test
- Green Awareness, by OPCMIA

### Completion requirements:

Upon completing the Job Corps Plastering training program, students should:

- Have the basic math skills necessary to perform applied academic tasks.
- Have the basic reading comprehension skills necessary to read, reference, and apply construction manuals, tests, and other written materials at an eighth-grade level of proficiency or above.
- Complete the core curriculum and pass all written and performance tests.

### Average length of training:

8 to 12 months

### The salary range for various careers in Plastering is:

\$30,000 to \$49,000/year

\*For additional salary information and career path options in this field, visit [www.mynextmove.org](http://www.mynextmove.org).

### Green Training



Job Corps is committed to preparing students for careers in fields that will lead to a cleaner, more energy-efficient future. The Plastering career technical training area equips students with knowledge and skills in the following green technology and industry practices:

- Introduction to Environmental Awareness and Green Building
- Reject, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle
- Alternative materials
- Treatment of hand tools and equipment for sustainability
- Waste management
- Water infiltration and stormwater runoff reduction
- Sourcing of alternative materials and products

## THE BENEFITS OF JOB CORPS

**Free to those who qualify • Hands-on career training and internships • Biweekly living allowance • Opportunities to advance your education • Housing, meals, and basic medical care**

### What is Job Corps?

- A residential career technical training program
- Your path to a career in a high-growth industry
- A place to earn your high school diploma or high school equivalency credential
- Career counseling and support after graduation



*Career technical training programs vary at different Job Corps centers.*

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